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TO AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

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SUBJECT: LETTER FROM PRESIDENT CARTER TO PRESIDENT NYERERE

FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF PERSONAL LETTER FROM PRESIDENT CARTER  
TO PRESIDENT NYERERE WHICH WILL BE DELIVERED BY USUN  
AMBASSADOR ANDREW YOUNG ON HIS ARRIVAL IN DAR ES SALAAM.  
BEGIN TEXT: DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: I APPRECIATE YOUR  
KIND INVITATION FOR AN AMERICAN DELEGATION TO ATTEND  
YOUR FEBRUARY 5 CELEBRATIONS. I HAVE ASKED MY GOOD  
FRIEND, ANDREW YOUNG, TO REPRESENT THE UNITED STATES AT  
THE CELEBRATIONS AND TO PERSONALLY CONVEY TO YOU MY OWN  
CONGRATULATIONS AND VERY BEST WISHES ON THE OCCASION OF THE  
CELEBRATIONS OF THE FOUNDING OF THE NEW REVOLUTIONARY  
PARTY, THE AFRO-SHIRAZI PARTY'S 20TH ANNIVERSARY, AND THE  
10TH ANNIVERSARY OF YOUR ARUSHA DECLARATION. AMBASSADOR  
YOUNG'S VISIT ALSO PROVIDES THE OPPORTUNITY TO  
ESTABLISH DIRECT AND PERSONAL CONTACT FROM THE OUTSET WITH  
YOU AND THE OTHER DISTINGUISHED AFRICAN LEADERS ATTENDING  
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THE CELEBRATION. I AM VERY PLEASED THAT A MAN WITH SO  
DISTINGUISHED A RECORD IN THE CONGRESS AND WITH SUCH A  
FIRM GRASP OF AFRICAN AFFAIRS HAS AGREED TO REPRESENT THE  
UNITED STATES IN THE UNITED NATIONS.

AS I SAID IN MY MESSAGE OF JANUARY 26, WE ARE DEEPLY  
CONCERNED ABOUT THE SITUATION IN SOUTHERN AFRICA, AND ARE

COMMITTED TO CARRY ON THE SEARCH FOR A PERMANENT AND  
PEACEFUL RESOLUTION. I PARTICULARLY HOPE THAT YOU WILL  
GIVE AMBASSADOR YOUNG THE BENEFIT OF YOUR APPRAISAL OF  
THE LATEST DEVELOPMENTS AND YOUR SUGGESTIONS FOR THE BEST  
NEXT STEPS FOR ALL CONCERNED TO TAKE. I HAVE ASKED  
AMBASSADOR YOUNG TO REPORT BACK TO ME ON HIS DISCUSSIONS  
IMMEDIATELY ON HIS RETURN TO WASHINGTON. YOUR IDEAS  
WILL BE OF GREAT HELP TO ME IN THE PROCESS OF REVIEWING  
UNITED STATES POLICIES ON THESE IMPORTANT QUESTIONS.

I LOOK FORWARD TO CONTINUING CORRESPONDENCE WITH YOU ON  
THIS AND OTHER MAJOR PROBLEMS WHICH AFFECT BOTH OF OUR  
COUNTRIES. I AM CONFIDENT THAT WITH GOOD WILL AND MUTUAL  
UNDERSTANDING, AS WELL AS DEDICATED AND UNFLAGGING EFFORT,  
WE CAN RESOLVE MANY OF THE ISSUES WHICH CONFRONT US.  
SINCERELY, JIMMY CARTER. END TEXT  
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